

REMARKS

Claims 3-5, 8-10, 12, 13, 25, 27, 37 and 38 are pending in the application. Claims 3, 8, 12, 13, 25, and 27 have been amended. No new matter has been added.

Allowed Claims

Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating claims 13, 14, 27, 28, 37 and 38 are allowed.

In order to expedite prosecution, claims 3, 8, 12, 13, 25 and 27 have been amended to depend from allowed claim 37. Accordingly, all pending claims depend, either directly or indirectly, from allowed claim 37. Claims 3-5, 8-10, 12, 13, 25, 27 are therefore believed to be in condition for allowance.

In view of the above, Applicants submit that the application is in condition for allowance. Prompt consideration and allowance are solicited.

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (202) 220-4200 to discuss any information concerning this application.

The Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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